

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

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## CITY REQUESTS EXTENSION TO RESPOND TO ACLU

The City of Greensboro received a letter from the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) today regarding concerns with the Specialized Community Area Transit (SCAT) paratransit service. The ACLU requested that the City respond by September 8, 2006, to the concerns expressed in the letter. The City has requested an extension of time until September 15 to respond. The extension of time has been requested in good faith and not for the purpose of delay. The City of Greensboro is in compliance with all laws and regulations concerning the provision of SCAT service to the best of its knowledge.

The attorney assigned to advise the Greensboro Transit Authority on SCAT issues is Becky Jo Peterson-Buie.